

# **ENCINO COMMUNITY DISASTER PREPAREDNESS COMMITTEE**

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Meet other business and community folks just like you who are dedicated to helping Encino recover when a disaster strikes.

Join our team of volunteers who will be ready to help in an emergency!

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Join us for our next community meeting:

**First Wednesday of the Month**

**Noon to 1:00pm**

**RSVP to**

**[info@encinochamber.org](mailto:info@encinochamber.org)**

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We have been working together, doing community drills for several years. Our partners are West Valley Medical Center, Providence Cedars-Sinai Tarzana Medical Center, Encino Hospital, L.A.F.D. CERT Division, L.A.P.D., C.H.P., U. S. Army Reserves, Neighborhood Councils, L.A. City Council Member Paul Koretz 's office, other elected official's offices, business and community leaders in the Encino and surrounding areas.

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Our committee, made up of community representatives, has put in place a plan of action in the event of a disaster. West Valley Medical Center located at 5353 & 5363 Balboa Blvd. will be the **back-up medical facility** to Providence Tarzana Medical Center and Encino Hospital Medical Center for all “walking wounded.”

**An information center will be set up at Encino (Genesta) Park** located at 16953 Ventura Boulevard. After a large disaster/emergency, the information center will be a gathering place for the community to “check-in,” record any damage in the community, reunite with loved ones, find information or volunteer their services. The information center will be a place where local authorities can come, to give out and to get information about what’s going on in our area.

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How we’ve been preparing the Community:

- CERT Classes  
Community Emergency Response Training  
C.P.R. Classes
- Workshops on Preparedness
- Information booth at annual  
Encino Family Festival in October
- Practice Drills